

## CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

(From Thursday's Daily.)

## On Business.

T. Akard was an arrival yesterday from Monrovia, Cal., his home, and is to remain for a few weeks on mining and other business.

## On Sick List.

Jesse LeBaron, salesman of E. A. Kastner & Co., is reported as quite ill, threatened with pneumonia, and is confined to bed at his home.

## Eastern Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Benzenoth of Freeport, Ill., and the sister of the first named, Miss Lura Benzenoth, were arrivals yesterday for a few weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Young.

## Country Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Evans and Mrs. Bessie Hoffman of Kirkland valley are in the city visiting with friends. They made the trip on the train. Evans states roads will not be open for autos for a few weeks.

## Returns to Capital.

Mitt Sims, State treasurer, after a few days' visit, returned to the capital yesterday to resume his official duties. He enjoyed the change of climate as well as the change of earth's carpeting, from the green alfalfa to the beautiful white.

## Mining Business.

Cort W. Simmons, leasing on the Crosby mines of Santa Maria, was an arrival yesterday on a business trip, and stated a large ore body was being opened by himself and associates, with another mill run to be given in a few weeks. He anticipates making the biggest bullion run in the history of the property since it has been under lease.

(From Friday's Daily.)

## Legal Business.

N. Shutz, a merchant of Jerome, was an arrival yesterday, having litigation in the Superior court.

## Sells Mine.

The Tallaferro mine in the Humboldt district has been sold by W. S. Bourne to George Thompson.

## To Capital City.

Mrs. George Ford has gone to Phoenix to remain for the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Emil Michel, from Denver.

C. H. Barnes of the M. J. O'Fallon Supply Company of Denver was an arrival in town yesterday on a business visit.

## Sells Interest.

Joseph Scherer has sold his interest in four claims in the Copper Basin district to the Loma Prieta Mines Company. The claims are the Loma and Sierra Majada Nos. 1, 2 and 3.

## Back to Toohy.

Rudolph Bachr, who was a visitor for a few days this week with his wife and family, returned to the Toohy ranch yesterday where he has the contract for painting the new buildings of J. H. Stephens.

## Improving.

F. M. Plummer, who has been under treatment at Mercy hospital for several weeks, was reported yesterday as improving, which his many friends will be pleased to learn. He is suffering from an affliction of the neck.

## After Supplies.

Jasper Phillips was an arrival yesterday from the Jersey Lily crossing on the Hassayampa for supplies for his camp. This is his first trip to the city in three weeks, owing to his place being in the deep snow blockade.

## Cold Wave.

J. V. Dickson was a visitor yesterday from Skull valley, and stated another freak climatic outbreak had taken place in that country, in the coldest weather known in 25 years. Oak brush was killed for the first time. Cattle, he says, are in fair shape.

## Visiting Old Home.

Miss Flora Cameron of Tacoma, Wash., who will be pleasantly remembered as a resident of this city ten years ago, when she attended public school, was an arrival yesterday, to remain indefinitely. She is a niece of Birch brothers, and receives a welcome from many friends.

(From Saturday's Daily.)

## Comes to Visit.

Mrs. Omar Hill of Jerome is visiting for a few days with relatives and friends in this city.

## Visiting Friends.

Miss Winnie Mayer of Mayer is in the city to remain indefinitely and is at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. N. Looney.

## Range Visitor.

A. J. Diamond, the well known owner of Cinegra Rancho, in the eastern section of the county, was an arrival yesterday on a business trip.

## Mining Business.

M. N. Andrews, with the Redman Stockholders' Corporation, as manager, was an arrival yesterday from the camp near McCabe on a business trip.

## To the Coast.

Mrs. M. B. Hazeltine and son,

Sherman, left yesterday for Los Angeles, to be away indefinitely, for the health of the latter, who has been quite ill recently.

## Business Trip.

Oscar Rush, justice of the peace of Kirkland precinct, and a large goat raiser, was a visitor yesterday on business. He gives a good report of range conditions.

## Leave for Winter.

The Misses Grace and Winnifred Gratz, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. M. Gratz, left yesterday for San Diego and Los Angeles, to remain away for the winter with relatives and friends.

## To Indiana.

W. P. Bidgood, for the past three years secretary of the Hassayampa Alfalfa Farms Co., left last night for Indianapolis, Ind., his home, to remain, having finished his duties in this section.

## Comes to Locate.

Harold Fenner, a recent graduate from a New York law school, was an arrival during the week, and will make this city his future home, opening an office later. He is a brother of Judge David Fenner of Philadelphia. In May his mother and sister arrive to remain indefinitely.

## Still Snow-Capped.

Fred Back, a rangeman of Verde valley, was an arrival yesterday, and stated that country was still covered with snow, and residents were complaining of slow traffic and business generally being at a standstill. Cattle, he says, as yet have not suffered, and no losses have taken place.

## Going East.

F. S. Veile, president of the Arizona Power Co., left yesterday for New York, via Phoenix, having interests to look after in the latter city. He expects to return to Prescott during February.

## Direct Connections.

Under the new Santa Fe schedule, travelers leaving here in the afternoon at 4:20 o'clock will make direct connections at Barstow and arrive in San Francisco at 6:40 o'clock the next day. The journey will take only 26 hours and 20 minutes as against 30 hours and 10 minutes heretofore.

## Ships Auto.

Frank Cordron of Walnut Grove, yesterday shipped his auto to Kirkland valley, and from that point will drive home today. He stated that after three weeks hoping for snowy roads to be opened, another storm breaking yesterday urged this action to be taken at once and without any further sparring with the climate.

## Colony Visitor.

A. V. Crisp, who had charge of transportation of the Russian colony out of Mexico, for the Hassayampa Alfalfa Farms Co., project, was in the city yesterday on a brief business trip. He returns to Jerome Junction today, to assist in field distribution, when he returns to Mexico to conduct other contingents to this section.

## Return East.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Flentke, the former interested in the Dolphin mines of Turkey Creek district, returned to Evansville, Indiana, yesterday, to reside. Mr. Flentke is slowly recovering from pneumonia, and his condition is not satisfactory, hence the family has concluded to return home. The property will resume later, it is stated.

## Mining is Active.

Alex Denny, for many years a resident of McCabe district, and owner of desirable mines, on which he continues development, was a visitor yesterday on business. He stated that field is assuming more attention than in many years, through several new camps have been established in recent months, as well as old properties operating on a practical basis of deep mining. He anticipates good times this Spring and Summer.

## From the Basin.

Charles Bolman, one of the owners of the U. S. Navy mines of Copper Basin, was an arrival yesterday after performing annual assessment work for the year, and reports the strike on the Loma Prieta as still absorbing attention among miners there as one of the most noteworthy determinations ever made in that field. "This development has started more miners to operating than has ever been known, and the country, accordingly, is rated in the attractive class for investors," said Bolman.

## In Good Health.

After a few months on the coast on a trip of recreation, Major A. J. Doran returned to Prescott yesterday, in better health, he says, than he has known for very many years. He stated that reports of his being ill in Los Angeles recently, were misleading. He returns on important mining business to remain for a short time only. He believes that Yavapai faces a splendid year in this industry, from the great number of inquiries being made in the above city, due to many mines resuming and several important strikes taking place recently.

(From Sunday's Daily.)

## Sells Acreage.

Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Stranch have sold 85 acres of land near Humboldt

to Vincent Toney for the sum of \$4,000.

## Sell Lot.

Sarah DeSilva has purchased Lot 32 in the Gardenland addition to the city of Prescott from Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cornelison.

## To Meet Wife.

Charley Wiedler left on the 11 o'clock train last night for Ash Fork to meet his wife who is returning from Oakley, Idaho, where she has been visiting with relatives for the past month.

## Business Trip.

Miss Agnes B. Todd left Saturday night for St. Louis, Chicago and New York, on her semi-annual millinery purchasing trip, to select a line of the latest styles for the Spring opening, early in March.

## Fine Baby.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tumber are receiving congratulations of their many Prescott friends over the arrival of a fine little baby girl on Thursday night at their home on North Marina street. The overjoyed father is a popularly known brakeman of the S. F. P. & P.

## Back to Canyon.

George Colton, manager of a curio business house on the rim of the Grand Canyon at El Tovar, concluded a two weeks' visit yesterday and returned home. His wife and daughter, Henrietta, remain until the end of the week, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Adams.

## Placer Gold.

From a few days of sluicing on Big Bag creek, Tow Lynn made a clean-up of \$21 in coarse gold, but owing to freezing weather he suspended work for a short time. He states a plant similar to that of the Wichita Placer Co. on Lynx creek, is being talked of after a certain deal is closed.

## Visiting Old Home.

Miss Elsie Duke, after an absence of many years, returned to Prescott on Friday from Los Angeles, and is to remain for an indefinite visit with her father, and sister, Miss Mamie Duke. She is accompanied by Miss Blames of the above city, and both will enjoy a rural outing on the Duke ranch in Point of Rocks.

## Work Suspended.

Charles Carrier, who located in the Copper Basin field and established a camp during the middle of December, was in the city yesterday, and stated weather conditions were too disagreeable to continue. He has four claims that show fair copper values and after his return from Anaheim, Cal., during March, will resume with a force of six miners and maintain two shifts. He formerly mined in Nevada.

## Mining Man Returns.

William Ellingford, superintendent of the Gold Blossom Mining Co., which is operating on Indian creek, near this city, returned yesterday from Long Beach, Cal., where he had been visiting with his wife and family during the holidays, and leaves for the camp today. He was advised of development during his absence, and is very much pleased with the outlook. He states that a very energetic plan of operating is to begin at once.

## Lively Camps.

O. O. Ardrey, who has mining interests near Huron, is in the city and states that field has been completely regenerated since the Henrietta and Butternut groups have been revived by the Big Lodge Company. Over 60 miners are employed at both camps, as well as several individual properties operating. The Butternut, he states, is developing into a fine copper property, while the Henrietta has started to make shipments of higher grade gold ores. He anticipates a lively country when weather conditions are favorable.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

## Business Trip.

W. V. DeCamp, superintendent of the Blue Bell mines, near Mayer, was an arrival Sunday on a business trip.

## Mining Business.

L. A. Kehr, a former resident of this city, and now secretary of the United Verde Extension Mining Co., was an arrival Sunday from Jerome, on a business trip.

## Valley Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Colby of Skull valley, are in the city visiting with friends for a few days. The former is a farmer, and is very much pleased with the big rain storm.

## Visited Old Home.

Mrs. C. A. Weidner, who had been visiting during the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Worthington, at Oakley, Idaho, her former home, returned yesterday.

## Country Swamped.

J. C. Young was an arrival yesterday from Ferguson valley, and stated the country was experiencing its heaviest rain storm in a third of a century, and more damage than benefit would result to the farmer, if the storm continued for a few days.

## On Business.

J. O. McGovern, a well known Civil war veteran, who is farming on Date creek, was an arrival yesterday on business. He stated the trip from his ranch to the station was made under

## FREAK ELEMENTS AGAIN SHIFT AROUND

## WARM RAINS BATTER SNOW COVERED MOUNTAINS AND COUNTY IS DELUGED.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

The shift of Arizona weather doings was again enlivened on Sunday and Monday, when former records were smashed by a warm rain occurring in January to bewilder calculations of old-timers, and give a touch to the scene that has proved a big surprise.

With the mountains still clothed in various depths of snow from a foot to five feet deep, a warm rain has been steadily battering away since Sunday, and on Monday afternoon created a situation which has not been equalled in many years in throwing the entire country here and elsewhere into a state of confusion, through the immense bodies of water that have been carried by all streams and ravines. Granite creek yesterday afternoon, had a reviving of its Summer cloud-burst antics, and assumed somewhat of a danger standpoint in possibly breaking over its banks. The cutting of the channel averted a property loss, such as occurred in past years, and the rain moderating also had the effect of quieting the timid along its banks. No property losses were reported, and aside from South McCormick street being inundated where it intersects Gurley street, the damage will be nominal in flooded floors to half a dozen residences. This remarkable condition arose over rain melting the snow in West Prescott, in which Becha avenue was the main outlet.

That Granite creek, for a January storm, went to its high water mark, was admitted by the oldest residents. Previous Summer and late Spring storms had exceeded the volume carried yesterday, but from a standpoint of duration, it is quite possible this stream will prove surprising when its ability is measured by what may reasonably be anticipated to prove a live waterway for weeks to come.

## Storm a Surprise.

The Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Company in this city was advised yesterday from Flagstaff and other high elevations along the main line of the Santa Fe, of a steady and mild rain falling.

On Sunday at Flagstaff six inches of snow fell, and at 5:30 o'clock on Monday morning rain followed. The same remarkable situation occurred at Williams, Ash Fork and other points. From Jerome there was a rain report also, but no snow.

From Senator, at an elevation of nearly 6,500 feet, and the Bradshaws of over 7,000 feet, only rain was reported, and the hundreds of ravines in each section were reported as carrying full sized bodies of water.

Mayer was deluged as was also Humboldt, in fact not a section anywhere, sent in a report other than rain, not a flake of snow being in evidence. Skull, Kirkland, Ferguson and other valleys to the west were swamped, and all carried unusual bodies of water from the melting snows in their elevated watersheds. Nothing was heard from the Verde valley as the telephone line went out on Sunday.

## Traffic Affected.

Trains on the S. F. P. & P. were slightly disturbed and arrived late, although no damage was reported to the roadbed or structures. Not a vehicle arrived in the city on Monday, and none left. Swollen streams everywhere were considered as dangerous to cross and roads deep in mud were difficult to travel over.

## Filling Lake Watson.

Considerable local interest was shown in Lake Watson, that will receive the direct benefit of the immense flow of Granite creek. It is stated that by Wednesday night this storage will be filled to its capacity and last night had reached to within twelve feet of the spillway.

difficulties, but before streams were at high water, he reached that point. He reports the heaviest rain ever known in that section.

## Packed Out.

An endeavor to cross Granite creek yesterday afternoon on horseback near Fort Whipple by Steve Bradlack proved futile and he took the back track to the city. He was returning to the Russian colony settlement near Jerome Junction. He stated that his horse refused to enter the stream and could not be persuaded under the whip to move ahead.

Willow creek, where it empties into Granite creek, below Lake Watson, is said to have carried on Monday afternoon its largest body of water known at any season of the year.

## Recalls Old Storm.

W. N. Kelly yesterday recalled a rain storm in March of 1867, when Granite creek for seven days could not be crossed in any manner as there were no bridges in that long ago. He was returning from California, and for the above number of days was held up on the west side of the creek.

A. G. Oliver of Fort Whipple stated yesterday that Granite creek was as big as ten years ago, and the latter record had seldom been repeated during his third of a century residence at that place, Summer or Winter.

## Phoenix a Sea of Mud.

PHOENIX, Jan. 17.—According to reports which were received in this city from various parts of the State it is quite evident that Phoenix is not the only city which has been visited by a heavy rainfall within the past few days.

Wire Chief Morris of the office of the Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Company received advice which indicated that the rainfall and its accompanying drop of temperature was general throughout the State. In the northern districts there was a considerable amount of snow interspersed with the rain. Heavy snows such as prevailed a few weeks ago were not present in the present flurry of cold weather.

The visitation of rain which is at present very much in evidence in this city has been the most prolonged and perhaps the most steady of the winter season. In the twelve hour period from 6 o'clock a. m. until 6 o'clock p. m., the rain gauge at the local weather bureau showed that the precipitation had amounted to .96 of an inch.

On account of the almost impassable condition of the roads in the territory adjacent to the city, none of the various stage lines made their regular runs yesterday, fearing that a trip might mean being tied up for several hours in some treacherous mud hole.

In about nine-tenths of the unpaved streets in this city the results of the down-pour were particularly obvious, especially to the pedestrian, who was forced to wade through a literal sea of mud, a mire which also seriously impeded the automobile traffic in all but the paved portions of the city's thoroughfares.

The tracks of the Phoenix Street Railway Company were undermined by the water on First street in the vicinity of Pierce, and the street car schedules were temporarily abandoned over this portion of the line until the tracks had been put in order again. The trouble was due to spreading rails, caused by the ballast being washed from under the ties.

According to the indications the storm will in all probability continue through a greater portion of Tuesday. Reports showed that almost the entire State of California was being swept at a time simultaneous with the local deluge. Other nearby States were also reported to be receiving the aquatic attentions of Jupiter Pluvius.

## HUNGRY LIONS

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Engineer Morris and Fireman Bedwell of the Bradshaw Mountain railroad, ran onto three large mountain lions as they were approaching the depot in Crown King. Both took up the chase with rifles, but the wily creatures evaded getting within gunshot range. They appeared to be in a starved condition and came from the mountains near where snow remains over three feet deep.

## SEVERE PUNISHMENT Of Mrs. Chappell, of Five Years' Standing, Relieved by Cardui.

Mr. Airy, N. C.—Mrs. Sarah M. Chappell of this town, says: "I suffered for five years with womanly troubles, also stomach troubles, and my punishment was more than any one could tell. I tried most every kind of medicine, but none did me any good."

I read one day about Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I decided to try it. I had not taken but about six bottles until I was almost cured. It did me more good than all the other medicines I had tried, put together."

My friends began asking me why I looked so well, and I told them about Cardui. Several are now taking it."

Do you, lady reader, suffer from any of the ailments due to womanly trouble, such as headache, backache, sideache, sleeplessness, and that everlastingly tired feeling?

If so, let us urge you to give Cardui a trial. We feel confident it will help you, just as it has a million other women in the past half century.

Begin taking Cardui to-day. You won't regret it. All druggists.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," in plain wrapper. N. C. 124

## GOOD ROADS MEN TO MEET IN PRESCOTT

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

An important meeting of the board of directors, officers and committees of the Arizona Good Roads Association will be held in Prescott Saturday morning starting at 10 o'clock with President Dwight R. Heard of Phoenix in the chair. The following letter has been sent out by the president to those who are expected to be present:

"A very important matter of general interest to the good roads situation in Arizona has been under consideration by the executive committee of the association.

"The plans are now complete and the president has issued a call for a meeting of the officers, board of directors and committees of the association to review the work and make recommendations.

"The meeting will be held on Saturday next, January 22nd, at the Yavapai Club, Prescott, at 10 a. m. The president urges that you please make every effort to be present, so as to aid in the good roads cause by your presence, advice and suggestion.

"Yours very truly,  
"DWIGHT B. HEARD,"

## PUBLIC RECORDS

Instruments Filed as Recorded by The Prescott Title Co. January 8, 1916.

The Juanita M. & M. Co. amends location of Ida May mine, Hassayampa district.

Geo. Brown to W. F. Petrie. One-half interest in Sangamo, North Star, Polar Star mines, Pine Grove district.

J. O. Lockhart locates two mines, Martinez district.

United States to R. H. Burmister et al. Patent.—Wire Gold mine, Malapai district.

Alec Lucy amends location of six mines, Eureka district.

United States to Santa Fe, Pacific R. Co. Patent.—80.95 acres, same as next below.

Santa Fe, Pacific R. Co. to Grand Canyon Lime & Cement Co. Deed, \$4,000.—SE 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sec. 4, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and S 1/2 of NE 1/4, SE 1/4 of NW 1/4, NW 1/4 or SE 1/4, Sec. 8, NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sec. 14, Lots 1, 2, 3 and SE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 18, S 1/2 of SW 1/4, Sec. 20, 24N., 9W., 80.195 acres.

Edward W. & Harriet R. Dewey file affidavit of assessment work on Marcus Aurelius mine, Weaver district.

January 10, 1915.

C. B. Hosford et al. file affidavit of assessment work on Hawkeye placer, Weaver district.

Chas. W. Phippeny et al. to G. H. Miller. Bill of sale.—Fifty cows, ten horses, Thompson valley.

The Great Southern Gold Mining Co. files affidavit of assessment work on five mines Big Bug district.

Oliver Phippeny and wife to G. H. Miller. The NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 and the W 1/2 of NE 1/4 and NW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Sec. 9 N. of R. 6 W.

George M. Payne to Mark Ferguson and wife. The W. 100 feet of Lots 1 and 3, Block 32, Prescott.

Thomas L. Morris to A. D. Newman. Bill of sale.—One-half interest in band of goats, near Skull valley.

C. J. McNulty et al. file affidavit of assessment work on 43 mines, Hassayampa district.

January 11, 1916.

Pete Vallo locates Alexandria placer, Black Canyon district.

Grijalva Nueva Mining Co. files affidavit of assessment work on two mines, Black Rock district.

United States to Pearl Jackson. Patent.—E 1/2 of NE 1/4 and SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sec. 26, 13N., 5W.

United States to Clarence C. Jackson. Patent.—SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 and N 1/2 of SE 1/4 and SE 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sec. 22, 13N., 5W.

Hays Cattle Co. locate Sure Thing placer, Weaver district.

January 12, 1915.

Mrs. Jose Martinez files affidavit of assessment work on La Fortuna mine, Martinez district.

Frank Dezolt and wife to Harry Krottinger. Lot 17, Block 15, on Conglomerate mining claim, Jerome.

Harry S. Knight locates four water-rights, Walnut Grove district.

Joseph Bold et al. file affidavit of assessment work on five mines, Walnut Grove district.

J. F. Young, sheriff, appoints C. P. Mullen as deputy.

January 13, 1916.

Wm. S. Bourne to Geo. Thompson, Tallaferro mine, Humboldt district.

Joseph Scherer to Loma Prieta

Mines Co. Loma, Sierra Majada Nos. 1, 2 and 3 mines, Copper Basin district.

Hays Cattle Co. locate a water right four miles